

Agenda NDHSAA Realignment Committee

2025-26 Committee Members: Lunde (Chair), Berger, Hanson, Jung

Wednesday, November 19, 2025 – 11:00 am CST – Conference Call

1. Review 2027 & 2028 football classification adjusted enrollment numbers
2. Review football classification guidelines
3. Review 2025-26 official 9-12 grade enrollment numbers
4. Review 2026-27 Class B districts/regions
5. 2025-26 Region Placements
 - a. Richland boys and girls wrestling
 - b. New England softball
 - c. Solen boys and girls track and field

Wednesday, September 10, 2025 – 11:00 am CDT – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Review Classification Committee guidelines
2. Review Playoff/Tournament Performance points

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 – 8:30 am CDT – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Review Class B wrestling regions
2. Linton-HMB fine arts region realignment request

Wednesday, April 2, 2025 – 10:00 am CDT – Conference Call

1. Review 2025-26 basketball district/region alignments

Wednesday, January 22, 2025 – 3:30 pm CST – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Finalize recommendation for 2025-26 Class B golf region alignments
2. 2025 region placements
 - a. Sargent Central-Milnor-Oakes softball

Thursday, December 5, 2024 – 9:30 am CST – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Finalize 2025 & 2026 football divisions & regions
2. Finalize 2025 volleyball division, districts, & regions
3. Review Classification Committee guidelines
4. 2025 region placements
 - a. Lisbon baseball
 - b. Lisbon softball

Thursday, October 17, 2024 – 10:00 am CDT – Bismarck Events Center – Conference Room

1. Review 2025-26 volleyball district/region alignments
2. Preliminary 2025-26 & 2026-27 football region alignments

Thursday, September 26, 2024 – 9:00 am CDT – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. 2025-26 basketball and volleyball district/region alignments

Wednesday, September 18, 2024 – 3:00 pm CDT – Conference Call

1. 2025-26 basketball and volleyball district/region alignments

Wednesday, May 15, 2024 – 10:00 am CDT – Conference Call

1. 2024 Football Classification Committee meeting date
2. 2025-26 Class B golf regions alignment draft
3. 2025-26 Valley City region placements

Monday, April 8, 2024 – 2:30 pm CDT – Fargo – Holiday Inn – Club III

1. Recommend 2025 football classification guidelines
2. Region placements
 - a. Thompson wrestling – 2024-25
 - b. Valley City – all Class B sports & activities – 2025-26

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 – 10:00 am CST – Valley City – Valley City Public Schools – District Office Conference Room

1. Review Football Classification Guidelines
2. Flasher High School boys and girls basketball and volleyball realignment request
3. Enderlin High School boys and girls golf realignment request

Thursday, November 30, 2023 – 9:30 am CST – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Discuss AAA/AA regions
2. Discuss AAA/AA playoff qualifying

Wednesday, November 15, 2023 – 9:00 am CST – Conference Call

1. Finalize 9-man and Division A football regions
2. Review 2025 football classification enrollment numbers
3. Review 2023-24 official enrollment numbers

Friday, October 13, 2023 – 11:00 am CDT – Conference Call

1. Review 9-man football preliminary regions

Wednesday, October 11, 2023 – 10:00 am CDT – Conference Call

1. Review Football Classification Guidelines
 - a. Discuss timeline for teams who successfully petition down
 - b. Guideline #11
 - c. Opt up deadline
 - d. Guideline #8
 - e. Appointment of future committee members
2. Conflict of Interest statement

Thursday, September 28, 2023 – 9:00 am CDT – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Nelson County/Midkota Baseball Region Request
2. 2024 Preliminary Football Regions
3. Region Placement
 - a. Minot North Softball
4. Discuss By-Law Amendment – Part II, Article XIII, Section I

Monday, June 5, 2023 – 10:30 am CDT – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Basketball classification procedure

2. Football guidelines

Monday, May 8, 2023 – 10:00 am CDT – Washburn High School – Conference Room

1. Discuss Classification committee
2. Review football survey/guidelines

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 – 9:30 am CDT – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. 2023 Region placement – Powers Lake boys golf

Wednesday, January 18, 2023 – 9:30 am CST – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Class B Softball Regions
 - a. Northern Lights – region placement
 - b. Maple River – region placement
2. Class B Baseball Regions
 - a. Divide County – region placement
3. Three Class Basketball Proposal
 - a. Review district/region assignments
 - b. Discuss annual timeline

Wednesday, November 9, 2022 – 2:00 pm – Conference Call

1. Review 2023 football regions
2. Larimore by-law proposal – scheduling contingency plan
3. 2022-23 region placement – Nedrose-Surrey softball
4. Review 2024 football classification enrollment numbers

Thursday, October 20, 2022 – 10:00 am – Bismarck Event Center – Mayor’s Conference Room

1. Review football survey data

Wednesday, September 21, 2022 – 1:30 pm – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Preliminary regions for 2023 football season
2. Review football guidelines
 - a. Emergency coops
 - b. Coop deadlines
3. Football survey
4. 2022-23 region placement – White Shield wrestling
5. 2023-24 Class B wrestling regions

Tuesday, April 26, 2022 – 9:00 am – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Review football classification guidelines
2. Involving stakeholders in football classifications
3. Region 3 Nine-Man football letter

Wednesday, January 19, 2022 – 2:30 pm – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Class B basketball/volleyball regions

Friday, January 7, 2022 – 2:00 pm – Conference Call

1. Rick Diegel audience
2. Class A football playoff qualifying

3. Future Class A regions
4. Region placement – Northern Cass wrestling

Wednesday, December 1, 2021 – 1:30 pm – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Finalize 2022 football classifications
 - a. Williston High School request
 - b. 2022 football dates
2. 2023 football enrollments
3. Review Class A/B basketball/volleyball regions
4. Review Class B golf regions
5. Class B softball preliminary region assignments
 - a. Hazen
 - b. Langdon Area-Edmore-Munich

Wednesday, November 17, 2021 – 9:30 am – Conference Call

1. Review football classification guidelines

Thursday, September 16, 2021 – 10:00 am CDT – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Review all Class A/B region assignments
2. Determine 2022 football preliminary division/region assignments
3. Class B softball preliminary region assignments
 - a. Bottineau
 - b. Carrington
 - c. New Town

Monday, June 7, 2021 – 11:00 am – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Review Class B wrestling regions
2. Review Class B GBB/BBB/VB regions
 - a. Glen Ullin-Hebron region request
 - b. Hazen region request
 - c. Beulah region request
3. Review Class B softball regions
4. Review 2022 football preliminary classifications
5. New Salem-Almont track and field region request

Tuesday, March 30, 2021 – 9:00 am – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Glen-Ullin-Hebron request
2. Hazen request

Thursday, April 30, 2020 – 10:00 am – Conference Call

1. Region placement – Griggs County Central-Midkota
 - a. Volleyball, Boys & Girls Basketball
 - b. Boys and Girls Track and Field

Monday, March 23, 2020 – 4:00 pm – Conference Call

1. Region placements
 - a. Max volleyball
 - b. Dakota Prairie boys and girls golf

Friday, December 5, 2019 – 9:45 am – Fetsch’s Office

1. Region placements
 - a. Trenton boys and girls golf
 - b. Sawyer boys track and field

Thursday, September 26, 2019 – 10:15 am – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Sylling Room

1. Review Glen Ullin-Hebron region switch request
2. Region placement
 - a. Northwood wrestling
 - b. Kidder County boys and girls golf

Monday, June 10, 2019 – 12:15 pm – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Sylling Room

1. Regulation for classification expansion

Tuesday, April 1, 2019 – 2:45 pm – Fargo – Ramada Inn

1. Regulation for classification expansion

Wednesday, January 16, 2019 – 2:30 pm – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Draft Board regulation for classification expansion
2. 2019 Class B softball alignment
3. Region placements
 - a. Divide County softball
 - b. Garrison-Max softball
 - c. Rugby softball
 - d. Alexander boys and girls golf

November 28, 2018 – 2:00 pm – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Review basketball/volleyball classification addition survey results

September 26, 2018 – 3:00 pm – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Wahpeton/Fairmount Classification Request – tabled

June 11, 2018 – 2:30 pm – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Griggs County Central region switch request
2. Kenmare-Bowbells-Burke Central baseball

April 10, 2018 – 9:15 am – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. May-Port boys hockey region placement

January 18, 2018 – 9:00 am – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. 2018 Class B Softball region alignment
2. 2018-19 Watford City classification/region alignment

November 29, 2017 – 1:30 pm – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Discuss Class B softball regions
2. Discuss District 15 and 16 volleyball/basketball alignment

June 12, 2017 – 3:00 pm – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Sylling Room

1. Discuss Class B softball regions
2. Region placements
 - a. Northern Cass boys golf
 - b. Northern Cass girls golf

May 4, 2017 – 10:00 am – Valley City – NDHSAA Office – Champions Room

1. Region placements
 - a. Midway boys golf
 - b. Midway girls golf

March 17, 2017 – 12:45 pm – Minot – Holiday Inn Riverside – Aegean Room

1. Region placements
 - a. Nedrose girls golf
 - b. Richland boys golf
 - c. Richland girls golf

December 1, 2016 – 10:00 am – Valley City – NDHSAA Office

1. Class B Baseball region alignment
2. Region placements
 - a. Heart River baseball
 - b. Burke Central wrestling
 - c. Johnson Corners boys track and field
 - d. Johnson Corners girls track and field

October 19, 2016 – 10:00 am – Bismarck – Ramkota Hotel

1. Velva-Sawyer softball region placement

June 9, 2016 – 9:30 am – Conference Call

1. Region Placements
 - a. Trinity Christian girls basketball
 - b. Glenburn softball region placement
 - c. Alexander wrestling region placement
 - d. Bismarck St. Mary's girls golf region placement
2. Standing Rock track and field region change request

March 18, 2016 – 8:30 am – Minot – Holiday Inn (Riverside) – Aegean Room

1. South Prairie boys' and girls' golf region placements
2. Drake-Anamoose boys' golf region placement
3. New England boys' and girls' track and field region placement

January 25, 2016 – 4:30 pm – Bismarck – Ramkota Hotel – Governor's Room

1. Beulah softball region placement
2. Oak Grove baseball region placement

November 20, 2015 – 9:45 am – Minot – Holiday Inn Riverside – Aegean Room

1. Nedrose track and field region placement
2. White Shield track and field region placement

3. Washburn softball region placement

October 21, 2015 – 9:10 am – Bismarck – Ramkota Hotel – Room 3160

1. Dakota Prairie wrestling region placement

September 22, 2015 – 10:10 am – NDHSAA Office

1. South Prairie track and field region placement

June 16, 2015 – 9:00 am – NDHSAA Office

1. Review Mandaree request to switch volleyball and basketball regions

March 20, 2015 – 11:00 am – Bismarck Ramkota – Governor’s Room

1. Ad-Hoc Committee discussion on “Super Regionals”

January 26, 2015 – 4:00 pm – Bismarck – Ramkota - Governor’s Room

1. Discuss the following softball region placements:
 - a. Ray
 - b. Heart River
2. State Class B Softball Tournament qualifying

September 24, 2014 – 10:00 am – Carrington – Chieftain

1. NDHSAA Board of Directors request
2. Review current approved experiments
3. Region 7 report – Randy Johnson
4. Review current formats

September 16, 2014 – 10:15 am – NDHSAA Office

1. Nedrose volleyball/basketball district placement
2. Nedrose Fine Arts region placement
3. Dakota Prairie wrestling region placement
4. Develop Ad-Hoc Committee topics

August 13, 2014 – 10:45 am – NDHSAA Office

1. South Prairie volleyball/basketball district placement.
2. Class B post-season tournament structure – Ad-Hoc Committee

April 22, 2014—12:45 p.m.—NDHSAA Office

1. Consider realigning New Town from region III to region IV in wrestling.

January 25, 2014—9:30 a.m.—Bismarck Ramkota, Room 1161

1. Discuss the follow softball region assignments;
 - a. Wilton/Wing
 - b. Dakota Prairie
2. In addition, the Realignment Committee will discuss possible state B realignment for softball.
3. Class B Regional assignment for new baseball teams. Matt Fetsch will speak to the following recommendations
 - i. Oakes HS---recommendation Region 1

- ii. Ray HS---recommendation Region 7
- iii. Stanley HS---recommendation Region 7

September 17, 2013—8:30 a.m.—NDHSAA Office

1. Review realignment feedback from member schools
2. Determine recommendation to be made .

August 7, 2013—1:30 p.m.—NDHSAA Office

1. Review existing Class B Districts/Regions
2. Discuss how to disseminate information prior to Sept. Board decision.

June 18, 2013—8:00 a.m.—NDHSAA Office

1. Stanley HS intent letter---assign region for varsity softball
2. Review May 2013 Realignment Survey
3. Discuss redistricting alternatives

January 26, 2013—12:00 noon—Ramkota Café

1. Review and recommend approval of Class B Baseball Regions.

September 18, 2012—9:00 a.m.—Valley City Office

1. Review Class B Baseball Regions

August 2, 2012—8:45 a.m.—Valley City Office

1. Determine timelines for strategic plan

November 18, 2011—8:00 a.m.—The Loft—Fargo Radisson

1. Review the request from Districts 15 and 16 to reconsider moving Stanley HS from District 15 to 16.
2. Review District and Region assignments in response to the Lakota and Adams-Edmore volleyball coop.

September 13, 8:00 a.m.—Valley City Office

- 1) Place the new Hankinson-Fairmount baseball team in a region.

June 20, 2011—9:00 a.m.—Valley City Office

- 1) Review six region track assignments
- 2) Garrison HS request.

March 18, 2011—7:30 a.m.—Governor's Room—Bismarck Ramkota

- 1) Region assignment for Dunseith Baseball
- 2) Review Class B Basketball and Volleyball Districts
 - a. request was made to review how a balance of teams would look
- 3) Establish six track regions for 2012.

January 22, 2011—8:00 a.m.—Bismarck Ramkota, Room 1165

- 1) Develop Baseball regional assignments for Board approval
 - a. Hazen
 - b. Max
- 2) Review Class B Basketball and Volleyball Districts

- a. request to see how a balance of teams would look
- 3) Cavalier request to move to region three for fine arts in 2011-12.

November 19, 2010—7:30 a.m.—Minot Holiday Inn Express

- 1) 2011-12 district/regional assignment for White Shield HS volleyball.
- 2) 2011-12 district/regional assignment for White Shield boys basketball if coop dissolution is approved.
- 3) 2010-11 Max HS request for Regional Baseball assignment.

October 12, 2010—1:00 p.m.—NDHSAA Office

- 1) Review existing Class B Baseball Regions
- 2) Develop Class B Baseball Regions for 2010-11
- 3) Review existing Basketball and Volleyball Regions

September 14, 2010—8:15 a.m.—Valley City Office

- 1) Review Fine Arts Region Assignments
 - a. Wing HS request
 - b. Montpelier request
- 2) Class B Baseball Regions

April 20, 2010—8:00 a.m.—Valley City Office

- 1) Discuss Glen Ullin request
- 2) Discussion regarding Class B Realignment for BB and VB

March 12, 2010—8:30 a.m.—Governors' Room, Bismarck Ramkota

- 1) Discuss Enderlin High School's request to realign softball regions for the 2010 season.
- 2) Discuss stress on Class B district numbers due to school closings and coops.

February 10, 2010—9:00 a.m., Conference Call

- 1. Discuss and create a recommendation regarding the regional placement for Valley City High School

October 20, 2009—7:00 p.m., Bismarck Ramkota, Room 1161

- 1. Review Class B fine arts regions and determine whether or not adjustments should be made.
- 2. New Salem HS request
 - a. Regional assignment for plays
- 3. Goodrich HS Request
 - a. Regional assignment for plays
- 4. Minnewaukan HS Request
 - a. Regional assignment for plays

June 15, 2009—Minot Public School Admin. Office, 11:00 a.m.

- 1. Address the Valley City request that was presented at the last Board meeting and referred to committee. (letter attached)

March 7, 2009—CanAd Inn Restaurant—Grand Forks

- 1. Review recent survey results for three divisions of competition in VB and BB
- 2. Finalize a recommendation for the March 13th Board of Directors meeting.

January 25, 2009—Room 1165—Bismarck Ramkota Hotel

1. Review and make final adjustments to a three division plan for basketball and volleyball.
2. Discuss presentation at the general membership meeting.

January 8, 2009—Valley City Office—10:00 a.m.

1. Develop a committee recommendation for changing the administration of basketball and volleyball.
2. Review timelines as approved by the Board

November 21, 2008—Minot Holiday Inn—11:00 a.m.

1. Discuss and prepare for the presentation of “options for change” in establishing competition divisions.

November 12, 2008—Valley City Office—1:30 p.m.

1. Identify potential changes for competition levels since school classification has been replaced by the enrollment figure of 400.
2. Discuss and establish timelines for potential changes.
3. Discuss ways to gather input from member schools.
 - a. Regional Admin. Meetings
 - b. Surveys, etc.
4. Audience input
5. Determine how to proceed from this point.

October 22, 2008—Bismarck Ramkota—7:00 a.m.—Room 3130

1. Review Ad Hoc/Re-districting Plan that was sent out to Class B Supt's.
 - a. Committee members received a copy earlier
2. Review feedback that has been received from member schools.
3. Consider Ellendale High School's request to delay decision until after membership meeting.
4. Finalize plan or make plans to finalize plan after membership meeting.
5. Prepare Board presentation.